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BY WILLIAM N. OATIS (360)

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., JAN. 8 (AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS MADE PUBLIC TODAY A SOVIET UNION REQUEST THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEET "AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE" TO TAKE UP WHAT THE RUSSIANS TERMED BELGIAN AGGRESSION AGAINST THE CONGO.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID THEY EXPECTED THE 11-NATION COUNCIL TO TAKE UP THE MATTER SOME TIME THIS WEEK. OMAR LOUTFI OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC, COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR JANUARY, WAS CONSULTING OTHER MEMBERS ON THE EXACT DATE.

THERE WAS SPECULATION THAT U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD WOULD CUT SHORT A TRIP TO AFRICA AND ASIA AND RETURN FOR THE DEBATE.

SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER VALERIAN Z. ZORIN ASKED FOR THE MEETING IN A LETTER TO LOUTFI LAST NIGHT.

ZORIN CHARGED THAT BELGIAN AUTHORITIES IN THE U.N. TRUST TERRITORY OF RUANDA-URUNDI, JUST EAST OF THE CONGO, HAD "TAKEN A DIRECT PART IN ORGANIZING AN ATTACK" FROM THAT TERRITORY ON KIVU PROVINCE IN THE CONGO.

CONGOLESE TROOPS LOYAL TO PATRICE LUMUMBA, DEPOSED PREMIER NOW A PRISONER OF CONGOLESE ARMY CHIEF COL. JOSEPH MOBUTU, TOOK OVER KIVU PROVINCE CHRISTMAS DAY FROM MOBUTU SUPPORTERS.

ON NEW YEARS DAY TROOPS LOYAL TO MOBUTU USED THE BELGIAN-ADMINISTERED TRUST TERRITORY AS A BASE FOR AN INCURSION INTO KIVU PROVINCE IN AN EFFORT TO RESTORE MOBUTU'S CONTROL. ALL WERE CAPTURED OR BEATEN BACK.

A U.N. REPORT SAID AT LEAST ONE BELGIAN OFFICIAL HAD BEEN KILLED IN THE SKIRMISHING BUT ORDER NOW HAS BEEN RESTORED. THE MOBUTU TROOPS FLEW INTO RUANDA-URUNDI FROM KASAI PROVINCE AND MOVED TO THE CONGOLESE BORDER IN BELGIAN TRUCKS.

IN HIS LETTER, ZORIN SAID THE BELGIANS IN RUANDA-URUNDI HAD LENT MOBUTU'S TROOPS PLANES, TRUCKS AND MILITARY AND SERVICE PERSONNEL AND HAD PERMITTED USE OF THE TERRITORY "TO MOVE THESE MILITARY UNITS TO THE REAR OF CONGOLESE NATIONAL ARMY DETACHMENTS LOYAL TO THE LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CONGO".

HE SAID THESE ACTIONS "CONSTITUTE OPEN, ARMED AGGRESSION BY BELGIUM AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO AND A FLAGRANT VIOLATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL STATUS OF THE TRUST TERRITORY".

"REPORTS ARRIVING FROM THE CONGO," ZORIN WENT ON, "INDICATE THAT THE AGGRESSIVE ACTIONS OF BELGIUM AGAINST THE CONGO HAVE NOT CEASED AND THAT THE SITUATION CONTINUES TO DETERIORATE."

HAMMARSKJOLD HIMSELF COMPLAINED TO BELGIUM OVER THE USE OF RUANDA-URUNDI FOR TRANSIT OF THE MOBUTU TROOPS. THE BELGIAN REPLY WAS THAT THE TROOPS LANDED IN THE TERRITORY BEFORE BELGIUM KNEW THEY WERE COMING AND THAT THEY WERE THEN ORDERED TO LEAVE IMMEDIATELY "FOR THE CONGOLESE FRONTIER".

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(280) RICKOVER

NEW YORK, JAN. 8 (AP)-VICE ADM. H. G. RICKOVER SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES IS STUMBLING OVER RED TAPE IN ITS DRIVE TO SPACE. MEDDLESOME AND UNQUALIFIED MILITARY OFFICERS, HE SAID, HAMSTRING EFFORTS TO DEVELOP NEW WEAPONS SYSTEMS.

RICKOVER, KNOWN AS THE FATHER OF THIS COUNTRY'S ATOMIC NAVY, SAID RUSSIA IS ADVANCING FASTER IN MILITARY TECHNOLOGY THAN THIS COUNTRY.

HE BLAMED OVER-ADMINISTRATION AND BUREAUCRACY, AND THE "UNWILLINGNESS OF THE MILITARY TO MAKE ROOM FOR THE MEN WHO ALONE CAN PRODUCE NEW WEAPONS--THE TECHNICAL PROFESSIONALS."

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR A DINNER HONORING NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS, RICKOVER SAID PROJECTS IN MISSILES, SPACE VEHICLES AND NUCLEAR PROPULSION "ALL SUFFER GREVIOUSLY FROM OVER-ADMINISTRATION."

"TECHNICALLY UNQUALIFIED OFFICERS DO NOT HESITATE," HE SAID, "TO DECIDE COMPLEX SCIENTIFIC AND ENGINEERING PROBLEMS; TO OVERRULE THEIR TECHNICAL SUBORDINATES; TO MEDDLE IN THEIR DAY-TO-DAY ACTIVITIES.

"IN MY OWN GROUP, AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS OF MY OWN TIME AND THAT OF THE TOP SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS IS WASTED BY ADMINISTRATIVE FIAT. TIME AND AGAIN EVERYONE MUST STOP REGULAR WORK, AND EXHAUST HIS ENERGIES IN COMBATTING ADMINISTRATIVE ERRORS.

"THOUSANDS OF HOURS ARE LOST DEALING WITH THE AVALANCHE OF MEMORANDA DESCENDING FROM HIGHER ADMINISTRATIVE LEVELS.

"A SHORT WHILE AGO, EVERY SENIOR TECHNICAL MAN IN THE GROUP WAS DOING PAPER WORK ORDERED FROM ABOVE; WE HAD DIFFICULTY RELEASING ONE OF THEM FROM HIS WRITING CHORES TO DEAL WITH AN URGENT TECHNICAL PROBLEM.

"WE WERE SCRIBBLING INSTEAD OF BUILDING NUCLEAR SHIPS; THE RUSSIANS WERE FORGING AHEAD WITH NEW WEAPONS, WIDENING THE LEAD TIMES BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES."

RICKOVER SAID RUSSIA IS MORE EFFICIENT THAN THIS COUNTRY IN PUSHING THROUGH COMPLICATED TECHNICAL PROJECTS.

THE MAIN REASON, HE SAID, IS THAT RUSSIA "DOES NOT SUBSCRIBE TO OUR QUAINT NOTION THAT TOP MANAGEMENT OF PROJECTS IS A PART-TIME CHORE FOR TECHNICAL AMATEURS."

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NPA-RUSSIA BUDGET

BY ARTHUR S. ROBERTS

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, JAN. 8 (AP)-A NATIONAL PLANNING ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE TODAY URGED INCOMING PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY TO "TELL THE COUNTRY THE STARK, THE UNVARNISHED TRUTH ABOUT THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY" CREATED BY THE CHALLENGE OF SOVIET COMMUNISM.

IN A LENGTHY ANALYSIS OF HOW THE UNITED STATES STANDS IN RELATION TO RUSSIA, THE PLANNING ASSOCIATION'S INTERNATIONAL POLICY COMMITTEE SAID KENNEDY MUST DO THIS TO GAIN FULL SUPPORT FOR ESSENTIAL NATIONAL SECURITY PROGRAMS.

"IT IS THE CONVICTION OF THIS COMMITTEE THAT THE VERY SURVIVAL OF THE UNITED STATES AS A FREE AND INDEPENDENT NATION IS THREATENED AS NEVER BEFORE," THE GROUP SAID.

"THIS, IN OUR VIEW, IS THE BITTER TRUTH, WHICH SHOULD BE FAR MORE WIDELY UNDERSTOOD THAN IT IS TODAY...THERE IS AS YET NO EVIDENCE THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS IN ANY SENSE MODIFIED ITS AVOWED OBJECTIVE OF WORLD DOMINATION."

THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE IS HEADED BY FRANK ALTSCHUL, BOARD CHAIRMAN OF GENERAL AMERICAN INVESTORS CO. THE NPA DESCRIBES ITSELF AS A NONPROFIT, NONPOLITICAL ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO PLANNING IN VARIOUS FIELDS.

THE COMMITTEE NOTED THERE IS AN UNEASY FEELING IN THIS COUNTRY BUT THAT "OUR CITIZENS BY AND LARGE ARE BY NO MEANS FULLY AWARE OF THE NATURE OF THE PERIL TO WHICH WE LIE EXPOSED.

"NOR ARE THEY CONSCIOUS OF THE DEGREE OF EFFORT AND DEDICATION THAT MUST BE DEMANDED OF ALL OF US IF THE CHALLENGE WE FACE IS TO BE SUCCESFULLY MET," IT ADDED.

THE COMMITTEE COUNSELED CONTINUED EFFORTS TO SOLVE INTERNATIONAL ISSUES IN SUCH A FORUM AS THE UNITED NATIONS. BUT IT ALSO CALLED FOR A STEPUP IN SOME MILITARY PREPAREDNESS BY THIS COUNTRY.

IN MAKING THE DEFENSE RECOMMENDATION, THE COMMITTEE SAID IT BELIEVED "THAT THERE HAS BEEN A SHIFT IN THE BALANCE OF POWER FAVORABLE TO THE

SOVIET UNION. IT CONTINUED:

"THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT WE STILL HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL LEAD IN THE GUIDANCE SYSTEMS WHICH DETERMINE THE ACCURACY OF MISSILES, IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOLID FUEL MISSILES AND MASTERING THE PROBLEM OF RE-ENTRY.

"BUT AS AGAINST THIS OUR RETALIATORY POWER REMAINS FAR FROM ADEQUATELY PROTECTED AS WE ENTER THE PERIOD OF THE MISSILE GAP. ACCORDINGLY, LOCAL WAR OR THE THREAT OF TOTAL WAR MAY FOR SOME TIME CONTINUE TO BE EMPLOYED BY THE SOVIET UNION AS AN INSTRUMENT OF POLICY."

FURTHER, THE PLANNING GROUP SAID, THE U.S. SYSTEM OF ALLIANCES HAS LOST SOME OF ITS COHESIVENESS "AT THE VERY TIME WHEN IT IS DAILY BECOMING MORE EVIDENT THAT THE FREE WORLD IS ONLY LIKELY TO SURVIVE ON THE BASIS OF THE CLOSEST COORDINATION OF EFFORT."

THE IMAGE OF AMERICA, IT SAID, HAS BECOME BLURRED PARTLY AS THE RESULT OF INTENSIVE AND MISLEADING COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA, "PARTLY BECAUSE OF THE INADEQUACY OF OUR RESPONSE, AND IN SOME MEASURE BECAUSE OF OUR OWN BEHAVIOR."

AND, THE ANALYSIS SAID, "WE HAVE NOT YET FOUND AN EFFECTIVE WAY TO COUNTER THE SOVIET ECONOMIC OFFENSIVE."

NOTING THAT BOTH THE REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC PARTIES WERE AGREED IN THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN ON THE NECESSITY OF INCREASED SPENDING FOR DEFENSE, THE COMMITTEE SAID IT WOULD ASSUME THIS WOULD INVOLVE:

1. THE IMMEDIATE HARDENING AND DISPERSAL OF STRATEGIC BASES. (HARDENING MEANS PUTTING MISSILE BASES PARTICULARLY UNDER-GROUND AND THUS MAKING THEM LESS VULNERABLE.)
2. STRENGTHENING OF THE POLITICAL AND MILITARY COMMAND AND CONTROL OF NUCLEAR FORCES, BOTH TO INSURE THE SURVIVAL OF THESE CONTROLS IN THE EVENT OF SURPRISE ATTACK AND TO REDUCE THE CHANCE OF ACCIDENTAL ACTS OF WAR.
3. SPEEDING UP THE MINUTEMAN MISSILE PROGRAM. THE MINUTEMAN IS A SOLID FUEL MISSILE EXPECTED TO BE QUICKER-FIRING AND MORE DEPENDABLE THAN LIQUID FUEL ROCKETS NOW IN PLACE.
4. SPEEDING UP DEVELOPMENT OF AN ANTI-MISSILE MISSILE.
5. RAPID ACCELERATION OF THE PROGRAM OF CONSTRUCTION OF MORE POLARIS MISSILE-FIRING SUBMARINES.
6. GREATER EMPHASIS ON LONG RANGE BASIC RESEARCH IN THE PHYSICAL SCIENCES.
7. UNTIL THIS OVER-ALL PROGRAM IS SUFFICIENTLY ADVANCED, PLACING A CONSIDERABLE PART OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND BOMBER FORCE ON AN AIRBORNE ALERT, ACCOMPANIED BY IMMEDIATE PROCUREMENT OF AN ADEQUATE STOCK OF ESSENTIAL PARTS AND TRAINING OF NEEDED PILOTS AND CREWS.

"COINCIDENTALLY," THE COMMITTEE ADDED, "WE SHOULD TAKE STEPS TO INCREASE MATERIALLY OUR CONVENTIONAL FORCES AND OUR AIRLIFT CAPACITY TO THE END THAT IN A VARIETY OF CIRCUMSTANCES WE MAY HAVE OTHER OPTIONS OPEN TO US THAN ALL-OUT THERMONUCLEAR WAR."

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FIRST LEAD SECRETS (A53) (180) 30.24

LONDON, JAN. 8 (AP)-FIVE PERSONS, THREE OF THEM SAID TO BE CANADIANS, WERE ARRESTED ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES TODAY.

POLICE SAID TWO OF THE FIVE WERE ADMIRALTY EMPLOYES AT A TOP SECRET NAVY RESEARCH STATION AT PORTLAND ON ENGLAND'S SOUTH COAST.

THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED BEFORE A LONDON MAGISTRATE THAT THE THREE MEN AND TWO WOMEN, "WITH OTHER PERSONS UNKNOWN, UNLAWFULLY CONSPIRED TO COMMIT BREACHES OF SECTION 1 OF THE OFFICIAL SECRETS ACT" BETWEEN JUNE 1960 AND THIS MONTH.

CONVICTION UNDER THE SECTION CALLS FOR PRISON TERMS FROM 3 TO 14 YEARS.

THE THREE REPORTED TO BE CANADIANS WERE IDENTIFIED AS PETER J. KROGER, 50, A BOOKSELLER; HIS WIVE, HELEN, 50; AND GORDON ARNOLD LONSDALE, 37, A BUSINESSMAN.

THEIR CITIZENSHIP COULD NOT BE CONFIRMED IMMEDIATELY.

OFFICIALS SAID THE ADMIRALTY EMPLOYES WERE HENRY FREDERICK HOUGHTON, 55, AND ETHEL ELIZABETH GEE, 46.

THE ARRESTS FOLLOWED A TWO-MONTH INVESTIGATION INTO REPORTED LEAKS OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AT THE ADMIRALTY'S ANTI-SUBMARINE EXPERIMENTAL BASE AT PORTLAND.

HOUGHTON AND MISS GEE WERE PICKED UP AT PORTLAND. THE KROGERS AND LONSDALE WERE ARRESTED AT THEIR LONDON HOMES.

NEIGHBORS OF THE KROGERS SAID THE COUPLE HAS BEEN LIVING HERE ABOUT SEVEN YEARS.

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